From: Elizabeth Grandy To: Microsoft ATR Date: 1/3/02 1:08pm Microsoft Settlement **Subject:**

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I think it is about time this ridiculous lawsuit against Microsoft is settled once and for all. As far as the public is concerned Microsoft did not do anything detrimental to the public. The crybaby companies that cannot compete are just trying to get money from the best software company ever built. Companies like Microsoft should be free to make their product anyway they see fit. If the public want to buy the product they will and if not they won't. The only reason Microsoft has a monopoly is because they are the best and everyone wants their products (including the US Government!). This whole suit should have just been thrown out of court instead of costing Microsoft thousands of dollars in attorney fees and court cost and the taxpayer also. Please settle this with as little harm to Microsoft as possible. The suing states and companies should be the ones paying not Microsoft!

Sincerely,

Gary and Elizabeth Grandy